Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Peter and Mary Gunderson were blessed with a beautiful baby girl on their homestead near Chamberlain on August 17, 1899; and,

WHEREAS, Otto Saukerson began carrying Myrtle Gunderson's skates, the beginning of a beautiful courtship which blossomed into a lifetime marriage and three sons, Wilbur, Maynard and Melvin. They in turn presented their parents with twelve remarkable grandchildren and twenty-one great-grandchildren to date; and,

WHEREAS, Myrtle Saukerson is known in Chamberlain and beyond for opening her heart and hearth to all, for her love of the Lord and of sharing the Lord with her friends and loved ones, and for the best homemade bread found anywhere, topped off with her renown jellies and jams; and,

WHEREAS, The energetic Myrtle still maintains her own garden and even papered her kitchen this year; and,

WHEREAS, Myrtle Saukerson has reached her eighty-fifth birthday, an occasion of much joy and celebration, and her friends and family will gather to honor Myrtle on Sunday, August 19; and,

WHEREAS, It is fitting and proper for the Governor to make note of the milestones in the lives of citizens like Myrtle Saukerson who have devoted their time and energy to making our community of South Dakota a better place to live and work:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim August 19, 1984, as

MYRTLE SAUKERSON DAY

in South Dakota, and I join Myrtle's countless friends and loved ones in wishing her a memorable day of joy and happiness and many more years of health and love.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fourteenth Day of August, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Four

WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE

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